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Examiner: Mondt, Johannes P.

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In re Patent Application of:

Louis Mazuy

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For: DEVICE FOR MOVING A CONTROL BAR OF

A PRESSURIZED WATER NUCLEAR

REACTOR AND METHOD FOR MOUNTING

SAID DEVICE ON A VESSEL COVER

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed September 22, 2008, Applicant hereby provisionally elects Group I, claims 8-11 for continued examination.

The Examiner has required restriction between Group I, claims 8-11, drawn to a device for moving a bar for controlling a reactivity in a core of a pressurized water reactor; and Group II, claims 12-14, drawn to method for mounting a device for moving a bar for controlling a reactivity in a core of a pressurized water reactor.

Applicant believes no fee is due with this response. However, if a fee is due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 22-0185, under Order No. 20513-00618-US1 from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

Dated: November 19, 2008 Respectfully submitted,

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